

THE COCONINO SUN.

The quarterly conference of the Methodist church will be held tonight at the parsonage.

According to the report of the live stock sanitary commission, recently issued, Flagstaff shipped last year 4,944 head of cattle and slaughtered 715. Williams shipped 2,264 head and slaughtered 1,059.

The burning out of a chimney at the jail Thursday forenoon frightened the prisoners, who thought they would be cremated, and caused the fire alarm to be sounded, and for a few minutes the sleepy citizens of Flagstaff were fully awake.

James A. Layton, a brother of N. G. Layton, probate judge of this county, has been appointed and confirmed as register of the land office at Montrose, Colo. Mr. Layton is one of the few Colorado Republicans who stuck to the St. Louis platform.

M. P. Hayes, claim agent of the Santa Fe Pacific railroad, was in town Thursday collecting water rents. It is probable that Mr. Hayes will be transferred to another department of the railroad service and this is his last trip over the road as claim agent.

The executive committee of the Flagstaff Literary society has concluded to have as the next subject for debate, "Postal savings banks in connection with the post office department of the United States." Time for debate and participants will be named later.

The R. B. George Chicago Convention and Concert company will give a free concert in the M. E. church on Wednesday night, February 16, for the purpose of organizing a musical convention or school for vocal study. Those interested in the upbuilding of Sabbath school, choir and congregational singing should not miss this entertainment.

Rev. S. A. Thompson, D. D., superintendent of Methodist missions, will preach in the Methodist church tomorrow, Sunday, both morning and evening. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at the close of the morning service. All are cordially invited to attend these services. C. P. Wilson, pastor.

Lowry W. Goode of New York and Gwynne Dennis of Chicago are in town. They are members of the firm of Lombard, Goode & Co. and are interested in a large number of mines at the Grand Canyon of the Colorado river. These gentlemen have done much toward bringing the rich copper properties to the notice of mining men in the east.

Thos A. Rickel announces his candidacy in this issue for the office of town clerk and is going to try to be elected to that office. Mr. Rickel is one of our progressive citizens and has the ability and experience to make an excellent town clerk. He will make it lively for the other candidates for this office from now until the polls close on election day, and if elected will give a good, clean record to the people at the close of his term of office.

John Lyon of St. Louis, Mo., stopped over here Thursday on his way to Phoenix. Mr. Lyon was, prior to the passage of the Wilson bill, which placed wool on the free list, one of the most liberal buyers of our wool product. But three years ago he went out of the business of handling wool. With the passage of the Dingley bill, which restores the duty on wool, Mr. Lyon is again a competitor for our wool, and goes to Phoenix to pit himself against wool buyers from other sections of the country. Mr. Lyon is a pleasant, agreeable gentleman to meet and do business with. He expects to return to Flagstaff later in the season and remain some time.